# Hotline 232 - 30th March 2022

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## **President's Forum**

#### **Nomination Forms**

Nomination Forms for **Executive** and **Non-Executive** positions are available now.

We are fortunate to have many members willing to help manage the club or to be involved in big or small parts of the club activities.

If you are interested in taking on some responsibility within the club, the forms are now in the foyer, and waiting for you.

When the form is completed, please post in the **mail box** by the **office door** for the Secretary to collect.

If you wish to discuss what might be involved, please contact **Brenda Turner** (President), or **Jill Lee** (Secretary) to get more information.

# Security update

The **broken chain** across the entrance to our carpark is being repaired by **Don Lyall**.

Some **security lights** have become faulty so they are being checked and replaced where necessary by our Electrician.

The recent incidents of theft from a car in the car park and from a bowling bag on busy bowling days have been **reported to the police**.

### What you can do

Keep alert for any suspicious activity or persons around the club, and please don't leave valuables in view in your car, or bowling bag. If criminals have succeeded before, they may return.

Ensure you lock and alarm the club if you are the last to leave, or check that there is someone there who can be responsible for security.





















# **COVID** updates

As expected, we are beginning to hear of members with symptoms of COVID, or testing positive in the last few days. If you are **unwell**, have cold or flu symptoms, **stay home** and get tested. Contact your health provider or Healthline for advice.

**Do not come** to play your **organised match** if you are not 100% fit and well. If you have to cancel or reschedule, it will not be the end of the world.

Normal life and activity continues at Burnside until we are not well or we know we are a 'close contact'.

#### **COVID** mandates

In line with Ministry of Health, and Bowls NZ, we are **lifting our vaccine mandates** from **11.59pm Monday 4 April**.

This means we can welcome all members and visitors (including unvaccinated) to Burnside Bowling Club. Vaccinated and unvaccinated people are contracting the virus, but the seriousness of the infection seems to be more of a risk to an unvaccinated person.

## **Interclub Success**

#### **Watson Shield**

It was very exciting to have two Burnside teams in the semi-finals of the Watson Shield. Even more exciting when Burnside One beat Darfield 3-1 and Burnside Two beat Hornby 3-1.

An **all Burnside friendly final** was played at the request of the centre. It doesn't matter who won that!



Watson Shield Team

# Men's Eights

Burnside also had a win in Division 2 of the **Men's Eights**. The team consisted of Keith McFarlane, Martin Peel, Selwyn Manning, Don McClelland, Bruce Wallace, Mike Murphy, John Switalla and Neil Andersen (with Phil Sullivan playing the last game).

And a big shout out to **Keith McFarlane**, who rumour has it, was unbeaten in the contest AND is celebrating his **90**<sup>th</sup> **birthday** this Saturday.

Well done everyone.

### **Bar Roster**

Here is the roster for the week ending 10<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Monday	4 <sup>th</sup> April	Murray Harper (Shift manager for the week) Phil Sullivan	4:00pm to 6.30pm
Friday	8 <sup>th</sup> April	Don Lyall	4.30pm to 6.30pm
Saturday	9 <sup>th</sup> April	Richard Mitchell and Mike Mehaffey	4.00pm to 6.30pm
Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup> April	Jack O'Dea and Pierre Alexandre	4.00pm to 6.30pm

## **Nor-West Sixes**

Now that gathering restrictions have altered we are **seeking more team entries** in the Norwest Sixes Tournament to be held 9 & 10 April at Burnside.

**To enter** contact **Lindsay Hodder** 021 662 748 or <a href="mailto:hodderval@xtra.co.nz">hodderval@xtra.co.nz</a>. Alternatively put the team captains name on the entry sheet in the match room.

If players are looking to be in a team contact Lindsay or put your name on the separate list below the team entries list in the match room.

### **Mixed Pairs**

Hopefully you will all have received an email about the changes in dates. The new dates are:

Round 1:	2 <sup>nd</sup> April	09:30	don't forget to put y	our clocks forward
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Round 2: 3rd April 10:00

Round 3: 16<sup>th</sup> April 10:00 Easter Saturday – if you are going away, please rearrange

games before this date.

# **Champion of Champions Finals Weekend**

We have several members competing in the semi finals and finals of the Champion of Champions events at Morrison Ave this weekend. If you have a chance, then pop along to support them.

Women's Singles	Semi Final	Tayla Bruce	Saturday 11:30
Men's Pairs	Semi Final	Matt and Mike Small	Saturday 11:30
Women's Triples	Semi Final	Pam Clarke, Judy Davidson, and Lyn Martin	Saturday 2:30
Women's Year 1 & 2	Final	Beth Mehaffey	Sunday 11:30

Good bowling to all

# **Saturday Afternoon Bowls**

Just as you thought Saturday Afternoon Bowls was winding down read below what is on offer for the remainder of this season – we have trophies galore to compete for, novelty events, an interclub friendly, the iconic Burnside Sixes, and a charity event.

Enter for all these in the usual ways.

**Note:** all Saturday afternoon play will **start at 1-00 pm** unless listed differently.

### **April 2022**

<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup> April	1:00pm	AJ and Ken's Super Saturday Festival very highly recommended!!		
9 <sup>th</sup> April		<b>Burnside North West Sixes</b> (2 day tournament) Convenor is Lindsay Hodder.		
16 <sup>th</sup> April	1:00pm	Orchard Trophy (drawn teams, triples, mixed) Easter Saturday		
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> April</b>	1:00pm	G <b>ood Neighbours Cup</b> v <b>Bowls Papanui</b> at Burnside. 32 players, mixed, selected teams, Fours, Interclub Friendly. If numbers warrant, a <b>Festival Bowls</b> event will also be played.		
30 <sup>th</sup> Apri	l 1:00pm	Jack Forbes Trophy (mixed, drawn teams, triples or fours depends on numbers)		
May 2022				
7 <sup>th</sup> May	1:00pm	Festival Bowls (mixed, format depends on entry numbers)		
14 <sup>th</sup> May	12:30pm 1:00pm 3:50pm ish 4:00pm ish	Charity Corner to Corner  President's Trophy and End of Season Charity Tournament. The 2022 Charity is Dementia Canterbury (mixed, drawn teams)  Special Meeting to consider Life Membership Proposal  Presentation of Trophies and refreshments.		
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# Interested in Finding How the Selector's Role Works?

From the Selectors

A few people have shown an interest in **becoming a Club Selector** and as some of the current selectors are standing down for the next season, we thought that an **Information meeting** would be the best way to spread the word.

This is definitely open to any member of the club who would like to know how the role should be performed. Both **Women's** and **Men's** Selectors are looking for people to fill positions including **Mid-week** and **Under 5** roles. Some members both men and women have already indicated a wish to know more about the role and this meeting is for you and anyone else who may be interested.

The informative discussion will be held this **Friday 1st April at 4.45pm.** The session will be for about half an hour with the aim of giving you all an insight into the role the Selectors play.

If you can't make the meeting but would still be interested, then please contact **Mike Small**.

Many thanks and we look forward to seeing you on **Friday**, **upstairs** in the **meeting room**, **4:45pm**.

## **Thank You**

Many thanks to the ladies who filled in for the regular caterer at the Medley Fours last week. As well as making delicious sandwiches, Philippa, Jenny, Rhonda and Judith also did a spring clean of the ovens and drawers. Thanks very much.

# **Ladies Drawn Triples**

It was a perfect day and a great turn out.

The winning team was Judy Davidson, Pauline Huggins and Sue O'Kane. Congratulations. It's the fourth time Judy's name has been on this trophy!

Many thanks to Penny Pat for all her organisation – her team was runner up.



## **Bike Stands**

Build it and they will come! Given the recent thefts around the club, make sure you lock those valuable bikes up.



# **Umpire's Corner**

### Question (XC)

After an umpire has been called to check the legality of a mat it is found to be short of the required two metres from the ditch. What happens next?

#### **Answer**

The answer depends on which, if any, bowls have been played.

The mat line (front of mat) must be at least 2 metres from the rear ditch and at least 25 metres from the front ditch. (Law 6.1.1)

- If BEFORE the jack has been delivered the mat should be correctly placed by the player. (Law 6.1.2)
- If AFTER the jack has been delivered but BEFORE the first bowl has been delivered the OPPOSING player replaces the mat and re-delivers the jack – but does not bowl first. (Law
- After the first player has delivered a bowl there is no right of challenge mat stays put (Law

Interestingly, if the mat is, AT ANY TIME, found to be not straight or not centred, it must be corrected (Laws 6.2.2 & Damp; 6.2.3)

### Question (XCI)

Can a boundary peg be moved if found to be in the wrong position during an end?

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